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Conversion Plan (3.5)

As of this date, the proposed POLAND project will differ very little
from the present Language Development Program. With the exception of
structure and organization, the data base for POLAND will remain basically
the same in that new data items are not to be added. Therefore, the
conversion from the old to the new can be accomplished mainly by machine.
The only manual conversion required will be concerned with those language
requirements of a 'specific' nature possessing more than one language
and levied against a position. The present system does not allow
multiple language requirements to,be levied against a particular position
while the proposed system will. Manual coding of 'specific' multiple
language requirements against a position will be required. The programs
required for the converting of the remaining data and processing of
coded transactions will probably be xf simple in nature and require
little time to develop. The validation of the conversion of data
can be done manually or through programs specifically written for that
purpose.